April 27, 2022

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Chair
Committee on Appropriations
H-307 Capitol Building
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Kay Granger
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
1016 Longworth HOB
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for “Fall River Waterfront Stormwater Corridor” in fiscal year 2023.

The entity to receive funding for this project is City of Fall River, located at One Government Center, Fall River, MA 02722.

The funding would be used to update a Stormwater Conveyance System. This system includes large box culverts and specially designed and configured Manholes that will allow a large amount of stormwater to pass through this newly constructed transportation corridor. The City’s wastewater collection and treatment system is primarily a combined system with more than 200 miles of sewers that transport both sanitary and stormwater flows to the Fall River wastewater treatment facility (WWTF) or one of the 17 CSO’s that discharges to the Taunton River or Mount Hope Bay. Sewer age and development over time have resulted in capacity and condition issues that must be addressed as part of infrastructure renewal projects.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

JAIME AUCHINCLOSS
Member of Congress